

NEWS FROM THE HOLDERMANS

Caring for Missionaries Around the Globe Jul - Aug 2023

In July, we took a team of 12 (including us) from our home church in Indiana to Costa Rica. There Corey & Lindsey Branson, Globe missionaries, joined us. They brought a team of about 17 from their church, and we all joined with members of an indigenous outreach church in Terraba, in the south of Costa Rica.



Here, the whole group poses in front of the new building we put up together. It has two large classrooms plus two bathrooms. Below, we are presented to the local church during Wednesday night service.

The elderly pastor of a small church in Terraba had a dream for classrooms for his church. God talked to Becky in October (2022) about taking a team to Costa Rica without knowing about the dream or the pastor. In December, that Pastor unexpectedly passed away. We talked with Corey and Lindsey Branson, Globe missionaries in Costa Rica about bringing a team. Their pastor suggested working together in Terraba. This July, after the building was built the grown children of that founding pastor told us about the dream and how it was fulfilled.



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Above, Lindsey with her youngest, Carter. Also Lindsey translating for Pastor Gabriel.



VBS children showing their "salvation" bracelets. They are visual aides for sharing the Good News.



The VBS serve team.



Local children hearing the Bible story.

Because of the Grace of God, good planning, cooperation and your faithful prayers and financial support we were able to provide a Vacation Bible School in Terraba, Costa Rica PLUS build two classrooms and bathrooms. By God's Grace we had no flight delays. The rainy season stopped during construction.

We were so proud of our team and the way they worked hard, building structures and building lives.

Praise God,

- Ken & Becky Holderman



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